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MILLS GRANT WAGE INCREASE

Employees of Local Mills to Enjoy Raise of Twelve and One-Half Per Cent. Fifty Weavers Leave Looms

The Smith and Dove Manufacturing company and the M. T. Stevens company, which owns the Marland mills in Andover, posted notices Monday morning announcing an increase in wages of 12 1/2 per cent, to become effective April 30.

At the Smith and Dove plant, 750 employees will enjoy the effects of this wage increase, and at the Marland mills, 240. This increase was made, as has been customary in the past, following the lead of the American Woolen company which made the announcement of a 12 1/2 per cent wage increase last week.

Fifty weavers left work at the Marland mills on Wednesday making a demand that the work they were running on two looms, on a certain style, should be converted on to one loom work and also requested an advance of ten per cent on the other work. This is in addition to the 12 1/2 per cent increase already offered. This change would affect only fifteen looms.

A conference has been held; no definite action has as yet been taken on the matter but the management is looking forward to an early settlement which will be agreeable to all parties.

Interesting Musical for Benefit of Andover Historical Society

The Andover Historical Society is planning an interesting and unique musical entertainment to be given Tuesday evening, April 3, in the November clubhouse, the proceeds of which will be added to the fund for securing a permanent home for the society.

Mrs. Adeline F. Fitts, of Boston will give a lecture on "The Music of Our Forefathers," in which the evolution of American music from the earliest Indian times through the Revolution will be illustrated by vocal and instrumental music as well as by stereoscopic pictures.

A quartette composed of Mrs. Frederic G. Moore, Mrs. Mary S. Jackson, Arthur W. Bassett and Eugene M. Weeks will render selections and their members will also give solo numbers.

To add to the Colonial atmosphere of the occasion, many of those present will appear in costumes of the olden time.

The sale of candy will help to swell the proceeds for this worthy object. The nucleus of a fund to secure a permanent home for the use of the society was established by a bequest from the late Mrs. Charles Carter, and additions have been made to it from time to time as opportunity offered.

Ticket may be obtained from Mrs. Henry A. Bodwell or from other members of the committee, Mrs. Charles E. Abbott, Miss Helen Eaton, Miss Alice Jenkins or Frank L. Brigham.

GIVE MINSTREL SHOW

Boys and Girls of Andover Guild in Elaborate Costumes Entertain With Songs and Specialties

The first minstrel show given by members of the Andover Guild, was staged at the Guild house, Wednesday evening with a chorus of thirty-five voices, directed by George Haddon, assisted by Miss Vivian Taylor.

The costumes were varied and brilliant making an effective stage setting. The light dresses of the young ladies of the chorus contrasted with the scarlet coats, white trousers and military caps of the "soldier boys." Two of the end men, George and Benjamin Brown, appeared in scarlet dress suits with green lapels, and the other two, Christie Murphy and Andrew Jackson, as Turks, one with scarlet sash and turban and the other with orange. These bright costumes had as a background, a row of little "coons" in the more somber costumes of plantation days.

A. Hurwitch, E. Dwyer, E. Urban and A. Polgren presented the specialty "Heroes of the Night." They appeared on the stage, first one, then another, and another, and finally a fourth, each with a different piece to speak which he proceeded to deliver at the top of his lungs in spite of the well sustained efforts of the other three. The participants in this act uttered a "men about town" brought out a hearty laugh.

"You Remind me of My Mother" was to have been sung by I. Francis, but as she was unable to be present Miss Sadie MacLeish took the solo part at the last moment. She was assisted by little Miss Margaret Lawrie who danced in old-fashioned costume.

Miss Elizabeth Valentine and Miss Helen Scannell sang "Down by the Old Apple Tree," the lad in blue overalls, and the lassie in pink gingham.

The end songs were sung by Andrew Jackson, "Jimbo Jambo," G. Brown, "Oh! Is She Dumb?" B. Brown, "You Tell 'Em I Tutter," and C. Murphy, "Lovin' Sam."

Miss M. McGrath sang "Love Brings a Little Gift of Roses."

Other specialties which pleased the audience were "Mr. Gallagher and Mr. Sheehan," by R. and W. Murphy, Indian Cabaret by J. Bissett, and "Homesick" by W. Murphy.

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Joe Langley of the Capitol lunch system has purchased a 1917 Sport model Hupmobile.

Garfield Temple, Pythian Sisters, are planning for a baked bean supper to be held in Garfield hall, on April 7.

The annual exhibition by the pupils of the different classes in the Andover Guild will be held in the town hall on April 20.

Rev. Frederick A. Wilson attended the alumni banquet of the Bangor A. A. of Bowdoin college held in Boston on Monday.

Miss Mary Cottingham has returned to Richmond, Virginia, after spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. John Avery, of Main street.

Geoffrey Nicoll, who recently underwent an operation at the Massachusetts General hospital, is able to be out again and is at his home on Whittier street.

Miss Katherine Clinton has resigned her position at the Merrimack Mutual Fire Insurance company and accepted one in the office of Willis garage in Lawrence.

Charles E. Foster sustained a broken wrist on Saturday while cranking his car at the Boston and Maine railroad station, preparatory to driving to his home on Lupine road.

A special meeting of the S. of V., camp auxiliary will be held in G. R. Hall this evening at 8 o'clock. It will be followed by a pie social and all members are urged to attend.

The Andover Mothers' club and Parent-Teacher association cordially invite the teachers and the parents of the school children to a meeting in Punched hall on Wednesday evening, April 4, at 8 o'clock.

The speaker at the meeting of the Women's Union of the South church, held on Thursday was Mrs. Florence Frazier, principal of the Cotton Valley school in Alabama. The Junior Helpers of the church were the guests of the Union.

Court St. Monica, C. D. of A. met Monday night and made plans for the big class initiation to be held Monday evening, April 9, at three o'clock. Mrs. Safford of Lawrence, is expected to speak, and Miss Susie M. Wilbur will take the lesson chapter. The election of officers will be postponed until the May meeting. It is hoped that many will attend.

The Ladies' Mission Circle of the Baptist church will meet at the vestry, Thursday, April 5, at three o'clock. Mrs. Safford of Lawrence, is expected to speak, and Miss Susie M. Wilbur will take the lesson chapter. The election of officers will be postponed until the May meeting. It is hoped that many will attend.

The Andover fire department was summoned to a barn owned by Buchanan and McNally, located on Park street, about 100 yards from the Central fire station at 11:18 o'clock, Wednesday morning. A slight blaze was in progress on the roof of the barn. But little damage resulted. Box 52, located at the Central fire station was sounded.

Miss Ruth Mitchell of Summer street is a member of the committee who will have charge of the spring dance for the benefit of the Mt. Holyoke Endowment fund to be held in the Hotel Somerset, Boston, on April 7. Miss Miriam Carpenter, also of this town, who is registrar and adviser of women of the graduate school of education of Harvard University, is in charge of the list of patronesses.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Free church will hold an early morning service on Easter Sunday at 7 o'clock to which the public is cordially invited. This custom has been observed by the society for some time and is in accordance with the Bible story of the women coming early to the tomb of Christ on the third day after his crucifixion and finding him risen. The service will be held in the parish house.

Mrs. Frank Poland entertained several of her friends at her home on Harding street Monday evening, the entire time being spent in various games and stunts that caused much fun. Refreshments were served. Among those present were Mrs. David MacDonald, Miss Sadie McDermitt, Mrs. Margaret Chick, Miss Etta Brown, Miss Grace Lake, Miss Lily Dunbar, Mrs. Kitty Bickell, Mrs. Sullivan, Mrs. Lynch, Miss Helen Bickell, Miss Alice McDermitt, Mrs. John Nicoll, Miss Sadie MacLeish.

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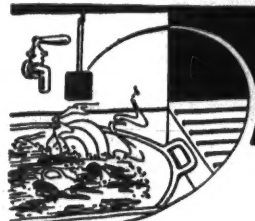
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THEATRES

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Friday, March 30
Frank Mayo in "Wolf Law."
All Star Cast in "Love's Old Sweet Song."
Aesop's Fables.

Saturday, March 31
Viola Dana in "Crimoline and Romance."
Around the World in Eighteen Days.
Comedy.
Pathe News.

Monday, Tuesday, April 2, 3
D. W. Griffith's "Orphans of the Storm."
Jim Aubrey in "The Nuisance."
Topics of the Day.

Wednesday, April 4
Dustin Farnum in "The Yosemite Trail."
Around Redwood, Western Drama.
Comedy.
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Thursday, April 5
Katherine MacDonald in "Stranger Than Fiction."
Edgar Jones in "Lonesome Corners."

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Gladys Walton in "The Lavender Bath Lady."
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"Orphans of the Storm"

When D. W. Griffith sent his research staff to France to gather historic lore for his production of "Orphans of the Storm," which was developed from D'Enfer's famous old play, "The Two Orphans," they discovered a number of things not appearing in the play but at the same time of great interest to those who follow history. This United Artists release will be seen next Monday and Tuesday at the Colonial theatre.

Girls who now bob their hair may be interested to know how the practice began. During the great French revolution this became a custom among young women as a protest of mourning by them for members of their family who had been made victims of the guillotine.

George Jacques Danton, the fiery leader of the common people during the revolution, and which character is made a very forceful part of Mr. Griffith's production, was the man who established the dread tribunal and Committee of Public Safety, which Robespierre used to further his own tyrannical ideas. It was Robespierre who first suggested the guillotine. However, this popular idol of the French mob was the first to realize the terrible abuses and villainy of Robespierre and in time Danton came to be the one man in France who favored abolishing the guillotine and at the same time curbing the power of the dread Public Committee. Both he and Robespierre eventually fell victims to the very horrible blade they established.

According to French historians, Danton was probably one of the greatest natural orators of all times. It is said he could sway a mob of thousands with a brief speech. That he was a great organizer is evidenced from the fact that he converted the wild French mobs into an army that beat back from the borders of France the warriors of allied Europe, trying to restore the monarchy. Returning to Paris from one of these successful expeditions and finding chaos existing, with Robespierre beheading innocent people in great groups, Danton made a famous address to the public and at this time uttered his famous remark: "Peace, oh, Peace with one another! Are we not alone against the world, a little band of Brothers?" Again, he dashed up the stairs of the guillotine on one occasion and called a stop to the series of executions and turning to the horde of thousands gathered about, shouted, "I am weary of blood—I would rather be guillotined than be a feeder of the guillotine!"

In Mr. Griffith's picture he shows in the first part the utter disregard for life and welfare of the common people by the aristocracy.

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The management of the Lawrence Colonial will endeavor to assist in the ushering in of the glad springtime joyousness supposed to arrive with Easter Monday by the production next week of the gay New York and Boston success, the sparkling singing show, "The Girl From Up There," having as merry-making guest artists for the occasion the well known eccentric comedian, Harlan Briggs, the vivacious prima donna, Debora Thornton, and a rosy garden of girls—stately show girls and piquant "ponies" who pranced with the production during its run in the metropolis.

"The Girl From Up There" created its first favorable impression and won over the critics because it is a musical comedy with an interesting plot—a real play, yet teeming with melody and music. Mr. Briggs scored by his ability to make an audience roar with laughter, then deftly lead it to thrills of suspense and to genuine tears, then back to laughter again. Miss Thornton is spoken of as of shapely form and scintillating presence, with a rich soprano voice and a dramatic ability rare for a singer. "The Girl From Up There" is person, is a moving picture star from Los Angeles, who alights from an aeroplane in a Mexican village, immediately fascinating the handsome general of the revolutionists, and incurring the enmity of the haughty and vengeful senator, who have been backing in his smiles—and any one can imagine what might happen in that exciting country when an American girl steals the love of the popular hero—it all happens, and much more—and yet it is set to music that is tuneful, and song and dance is interlarded with words and serious scenes. Mr. Fox, Mr. Grant, Mr. Baker, Miss Allen, Miss Grant and Miss Blair all have splendid roles, the special scenery comes with the stars, and it promises to be one of the most enjoyable weeks the Colonial Players have offered for the delectation of their patrons, and this, by the way, is the thirtieth week of the season—and many of the patrons have not missed a single week.

Mrs. Plummer Tells of Work at Ingleside Home

Mrs. Gula Grover Plummer, president of the Ingleside Home for Girls in Revere, spoke at an open meeting of the Margaret Slattery class held Sunday afternoon in the Parish house. Miss Jennie R. Hinchcliffe, class director, presided.

Mrs. Plummer told a very interesting story of saving girls before they have a chance to be wayward. The Ingleside Home is a preventive rather than a corrective institution. The girls for whom it cares are from homes where the mothers are incapable of properly bringing up their daughters, rather than allow these girls to drift away from the path of rectitude the Ingleside Home gives them the right training and Christian atmosphere.

There are at present 24 girls in the Home and they receive an education with domestic science and business courses. The instructors are college graduates and the girls who come under their care are fortunate, Mrs. Plummer stated.

She also said that there had been a great change since the war in the ages of admission. Prior to 1916 Mrs. Plummer said that the average age of admission to the home was sixteen, whereas today girls are admitted at fourteen years and sometimes as young as twelve. The same is true of many similar institutions, a general lowering of the age when girls are tempted to go wrong.

It was a very absorbing talk and at the close an offering was received for the work of the home. The Margaret Slattery class also made a contribution.

During the services solos were sung by Miss Mary Caldwell and Mrs. Margaret Fairweather with Miss Jean E. Dundas as accompanist.

Famous Paulist Choristers Coming to Rialto Theatre, Lawrence

The famous Paulist Choristers of New York, now touring New England, will appear in Lawrence at the Rialto theatre on Saturday evening, April 7, their only Lawrence appearance this season.

Under the direction of Rev. Wm. J. Finn, C. S. P., formerly of the Mission church of Roxbury, who already has earned a place among the leading concert directors, the Paulist Choristers will sing a program of unusual merit. The church music, to which the first part is chiefly devoted, will be in two parts, the first offering compositions of composers of the medieval school, Vittoria, Palestrina and Lotti; the second being compositions of the more modern schools, Cesar Franck, Arkhangelsky, John Bach and Charles Gounod; the third part will be made up of secular music, compositions of Percy Grainger, Frank La Forge, Arthur Foote, Massenet, Eric De Larmarter and Manna Zucca being rendered.

Since the appearance of the Choir last season in New England it has been increased to the number of seventy voices with some new adult members added, principally among them being Overton Moyer, basso formerly of London, Fenwick Newell, a pupil of La Forge and the possessor of a lyric tenor voice of unusual merit, Master Brenden O'Callaghan of Buffalo, N. Y., a sweet little boy with a beautiful soprano voice.

Besides the addition of the different adult members many of the same singers will be heard again with the Choir. An "old" New England favorite, Master "Jackie" Huber of San Bernardino, California, Master Edward Slattery, a Boston boy, and Master Francois de Comptois of New Orleans will delight their hearers.

In speaking of "Jackie" Huber, Brenden O'Callaghan and Slattery Father Finn says, "I believe Lawrence and Andover music-lovers to agree with me when I say that these three little chaps are as fine singers as we have ever had with the Choir, their voices have a purity of tone and harmony in ensemble that has proved of immense benefit to the Choir."

Local Girl Prize Winner

Miss Eunice Sellers of Highland road, was recently awarded first prize in the pig-raising contest for Essex county for 1922, as conducted by the Agricultural school at Hathorne. The pig raised by Miss Sellers, when dressed last December, weighed 349 pounds. The points registered by her were 91. The next contestant, a boy, registered 83 points.

The prize awarded to Miss Sellers is a week's visit to Amherst next August with all expenses paid.

Communication

To the Editor:
May I intrude on your space to make a few observations on the War Memorial question which was rather sharply commented on editorially by you and more recently by one of the committee.

The plan as submitted by the committee coincided with the vote at a previous annual meeting and in complying with said vote, the committee, assisted by engineering skill, probably submitted the best plan obtainable. Their report shows a very thorough study which must have entailed much hard work and they should be highly commended. The vote of two years previous, however, as read by the moderator in refreshing the memory of the voters was a surprise to many, in that a town planning or civic center scheme was incorporated. Just how was this introduced? The late Mr. Cole, as we all remember, fathered a civic center plan which was not favored by the voters because of the expense and as I recall, after a rather lengthy discussion, late in the afternoon, when many were tired and anxious to have the question voted upon, in a parliamentary "jam," passed this, which may or may not have represented their real desires; anyway there was the vote and the committee followed it.

The vote of the recent annual meeting clearly indicated that the majority of the voters wanted a memorial as a unit by itself and not attached to any other scheme and I, as one who participated in the meeting, feel that the meeting took wise action and with others who favored said action do not regret it and with all due respect to your opinion I take issue with it, in that it brands us as "small minded, hard shelled, narrow, backward, etc." This is rather a strong indictment against the majority of the voters of this cultured town, who in town meeting assembled, after careful deliberation on a clear issue, voiced their wishes unmistakably. The plan as submitted had many good points and some otherwise. To briefly touch

Seizure of property.—While, as a general proposition, an individual should not be permitted to stand in the way of the many, and progress, and the law does not permit it, we are quite apt to overlook the pain and anguish caused when others than our own are the victims, and are obliged to seek other living abodes. We have had experience along these lines in town meetings recently where the "sob stuff" argument prevailed and will probably continue to prevail so long as the right speaker touches our heart strings and allows our sympathy to get the better of our judgment, so that opposition arose on this score.

Traffic.—The report reads, "The main objects it is desired to accomplish are to provide additional highways and open spaces to meet the needs of modern traffic, etc." Assuming that through traffic is the principal problem alluded to, the plan intends to make a main thoroughfare of Bartlett street, and at the south end, route it either across the Campus or make a sharp turn on Chapel avenue, or indirectly via Rabbits pond to Salem street. It is to be expected that the back road, so called, leading from North Reading to North Andover and Haverhill will eventually be improved and when such is completed will greatly relieve our Main street traffic and reduce it 30% to 50%, so why commit the towns to such an unnecessary and costly undertaking. The same through traffic routes through the main streets of Reading and Stoneham and what these streets absorb we ought to be able to. A citizen suggests an additional route; if necessary, via School, and Railroad streets to Lawrence. The streets on this route are not in good condition but can be made so without extraordinary cost.

Expense.—This factor above all, was probably the one causing disapproval of the recommendations. No one knew the ultimate expense. It was like buying a pig in a bag. To properly go through with it one of our citizens, competent to judge, estimated a million dollars would not pay for it. Traffic requirements undoubtedly would call for another \$100,000.00, paying expense for Bartlett street alone, underground wires, modern street-lighting fixtures, renewal of old gas and water main, granolithic sidewalks, traffic cops, etc. These are all very nice and we like to have them but they have to be paid for. It is unfortunate that many of us are endowed with turkey-dinner appetites but with a bread-and-water bank account.

What kind of a memorial shall we have? One speaker suggested a shaft on our park. Exeter, N. H., has recently erected a most beautiful one sculptured by Daniel Chester French. Lowell has a wonderful Memorial building with an auditorium and quarters for the service organizations. Fall River has decided on a somewhat similar building. Many smaller towns have a simple boulder. Our present Memorial Library building and adjoining vacant land offers an opportunity for consideration.

The present quarters of our service men are miserable and unsuitable and the town should not delay in providing something better. We gladly appropriate money for schoolhouses, but if Germany had won the war we would have very little money for such, as we would be burdened for years to come, paying tribute to former Emperor William Hohenzollern. I favor a building for service and soon, that we of this generation may use it, admire it, and point to it with pride. The committee's play delayed probable erection indefinitely. Interest lags in any proposition in proportion to its delay. The day the armistice was signed, Andover would have subscribed by public subscription anything asked for. What would they do to-day or ten years from now? If this matter is constantly postponed we will all be in our tombs and be likely competitors of King "Tut," so let's start something and not take any chances.

I believe the committee would welcome the following suggestions. Hold a public hearing to obtain the various ideas as to the form of memorial favored by our citizens and organizations and formulate their recommendations accordingly. They will be pretty sure then of meeting the wishes of the voters. I have faith in the judgment of our people, they are usually fair and right and I believe they will work this out in a safe and sane way. When they want a war memorial, they want it, and refuse to have the dog wagged by the tail as was attempted in this instance.

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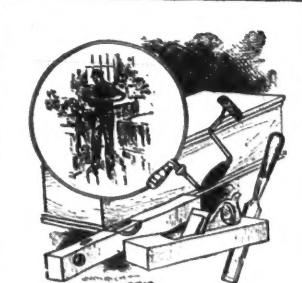
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STAINER'S CRUCIFIXION

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Recitative—And when they were come
Hymn—Cross of Jesus
Recitative—He made Himself of no reputation
Solo—King Ever Glorious
Recitative—And as Moses
Quartet—God so Loved the World
Recitative—Jesus said, "Father, forgive them"
Duet—So Thou Lifest Thy Divine Petition
Recitative—And one of the malefactors
Recitative—When Jesus therefore saw His Mother
Chorus—From the Throne of His Cross
Recitative—After this, Jesus knowing that all things
were now accomplished
Hymn—All for Jesus
Recessional—The Church's One Foundation

Clan Johnston Anniversary

The 14th anniversary observance of Clan Johnston 185 O. S. C. will be held in Garfield hall April 4. This event is to be celebrated by the clansmen and their ladies with a supper, entertainment and dance. Caterer Wieg of Lawrence will serve the supper.
The Orpheus Male Quartet of Lawrence has been engaged to give the entertainment and an enjoyable program has been arranged. The supper will be served at 6.30 after which the quartet will render a concert program. This will be followed by a dance for the benefit of the younger members and their friends.
Judging from the number of tickets sold it has every appearance of a record crowd.

For the benefit of the committee and in order to avoid any possible disappointment, clausmen are requested to secure their tickets before April 2. No tickets will be sold after Monday night.
The committee in charge includes the following: James Skea chairman; William Barnett E. Downes, W. Walker, R. Christie, Alex Valentine, Alfred Robb, and H. Cairnie.

Christ Church Notes

At the Good Friday Union service tonight selections from Stainer's "Crucifixion" will be given. The same soloists who sang so effectively on Palm Sunday night will sing again. They are Mrs. J. J. Mahoney soprano; Mrs. F. A. Wallace alto; Leland Gates tenor; Thomas Parkinson bass. The offertory will be for the Andover Guild.
Remember the annual sale and tea of the Girls' Friendly society in the parish house from 2 to 6 p.m., on Monday, April 2. There will be no evening entertainment this year.

Remember also the social party and dance of the Circle of Friendship on Wednesday night, April 4, in the November Club house. At the 4.15 p.m. festival service on Easter Day, Mrs. Remer and Miss Lincoln of Shanghai, China, will be present. Miss Lincoln, dressed in Chinese costume, will speak. The mite boxes containing the Lenten offertory will be presented, and those who have won the Lenten bank will receive them. The Easter plants will be given the children at this service also. The big choir will lead in the singing of carols and hymns.

Resolutions on the Death of Miss Charlotte H. Swift

At a recent meeting of the November Club resolutions on the death of Miss Charlotte H. Swift were adopted as follows:
By the death of Miss Charlotte H. Swift the November Club loses one of its faithful and valued members.
Miss Swift was secretary of the club for a number of years and her reliable and helpful service in that capacity was greatly appreciated.

As a member of the Literature Department her loss will be keenly felt, for since its earliest inception and even through the last years of her failing health, her interest never flagged.
Miss Swift was above all a refined and courteous gentlewoman of the old school, and her going takes from us one of that type so choice and now so rare.
Therefore be it resolved: That the November Club express its sympathy to her family and that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the records of the club.

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X. B. K. Wins in Debate

A debate between the Philatheas and X. B. K., and music by the Sunday-school orchestra made an interesting Sunday evening meeting at the Baptist church. The judges, William Caldwell, Miss Susie Wilbur and Miss Edna P. Todd declared the X. B. K. winners in the debate, the young men arguing for the affirmative on the subject, Resolved: That educational missions are more important than medical missions.
The arguments on each side were well presented. Knowlton Stone, Selden Billington, Perley Gilbert and Clifford Dummels showing the great importance of educational missions which have opened the way to all sides of national life, have evangelized many people, taught great numbers of pupils of every grade, and have trained leaders of all races, besides preparing doctors to do their mighty work. If it were not for educational missions, where would be the medical missionaries.
Mrs. Jesse Billington, Mrs. Edward Ward, Mrs. Miles Ward, Mrs. Arthur Kenyon and Mrs. John Bacon upheld the negative side, contending that medical missions paved the way for the gospel, giving people a new conception of life; being really love in action, this work is one of the most powerful ways of spreading the gospel, through healing of the body and also through preaching to crowds, in and out of the hospitals. It is told of one physician that he "opened China to Christ at the point of a lancet."

Fish and Game Club Begins Campaign for Members

The Andover Fish and Game Club has begun an active campaign for members and before the trapshooting season opens it is hoped to add at least 100 new names to the list.
The following appeal is sent out by the club:
Whether or not you actually engage in hunting and fishing, we believe that you are in some degree interested in these subjects, or at least, that you are in sympathy with those who find their recreation in the great trails and streams.

Two years ago the Andover Fish and Game Club was organized for the purpose of uniting all who are interested in the cause of better hunting and fishing conditions and a higher code of sportsmanship in this vicinity. In 1922 the club had 160 members. During that year 150,000 brook trout, 5000 bass and 5000 white perch were placed in the brooks and the streams of Andover, and 90 pheasants and 15 varying hares were liberated in the covers.
During the past severe winter, the club has at regular periods scattered food for the birds.
In this work of game propagation, such an organization as the Andover Fish and Game Club is necessary, for it is only to organized clubs that the state and government issue fish and game in any quantity for distribution. Such a club, therefore, is essential to the task of keeping Andover waters and covers stocked for the sportsman of today as well as those of the future.

During the last year some fifty members of the club were actively engaged in trapshooting. The club maintains a trapshooting department and this spring will occupy a new and improved ground through the courtesy of Phillips Academy.
The Andover Fish and Game Club asks your support. If you hunt or fish in Andover it is your duty to help keep up the stock that your sport helps to deplete. If you do not hunt or fish actively, we still believe that you should be interested in helping to provide for those who do, and your membership would be a valued asset to our organization and we hope that you will see fit to become one of us.

Cordially yours,
B. F. HATCH
President Andover Fish and Game Club

The other officers of the club are: L. C. Coates, vice president; Ivan E. Stedman, treasurer; Leonard Saunders, secretary.
A practice shoot was held Saturday at the traps on Brothers Field. It is planned to move the traps and club house in course of construction to their new location as soon as the weather permits and in time for a Lig shoot April 19.
The new trap location is off Morton street to the east of the seminary woods, with the shooting distance facing practically northeast. It will be an ideal location as far as light is concerned and much more conveniently reached than Brothers Field. The land is owned by the trustees of Phillips Academy.

Woman's Relief Corps to Hold Whist Party
At the meeting of Bartlett Relief Corps, Tuesday evening, in G. A. R. hall. Mrs. Charles S. Buchan installed Mrs. William A. Allen, as color bearer No. 2, and Mrs. Alexander Crockett as press correspondent. Plans were made for a whist party to be held in G. A. R. hall on Tuesday evening, April 17. Tickets for the annual May breakfast will be on sale next week.
The Corps voted to send a donation to the Southern Memorial Fund.
Mrs. Charles S. Buchan gave a very interesting report of her work as second member of the executive board of the state department. It was voted to omit the April 10 meeting as several of the officers are to attend the meeting of the department to be held in Boston on that date.

Andover Guild Wins

Andover Guild Girls' basketball team defeated the Pundard Girls' team in the game played in the Guild house on Saturday night, by the score of 26 to 16.

Anne Ness and Jean MacLeish starred for the Guild team and Eleanor Downes, captain of the Pundard team, did some effective work for her team.

The summary follows:
PUNDARD: E. Carter, r. f. f. A. Ness, V. Ramsdell, l. f. f. J. MacLeish, C. Flint, s. c. s. c. E. Brown, G. Gillespie, j. c. s. c. M. Moore, J. Moore, E. Downes, r. g. r. g. S. MacLeish, R. May, l. g. g. J. Blissett
Score: Andover Guild 26, Pundard High school 16. Referee: George Haddon. Time: Two 15 minute periods.
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The appearance of Miss Agnes Grant in the leading role of "The White Sister" with the stock company at the Lawrence Colonial theatre this week, has attracted an unusual number of Andover visitors who are unanimous in their praise of the play and particularly of Miss Grant's interpretation of the character of Sister Giovanna.

Miss Grant is doing an exceptionally fine piece of work, showing that she has made a careful study of the part. Her stage presence is characterized by dignity, poise, and grace, and her pleasing speaking voice carries well without apparent effort.
There was no doubt as to Miss Grant's ability to hold her audience, many of whom were visibly moved by the heroine's noble struggle between love and honor.

The glimpse of the "woman" beneath the garb of the "nun", given in the first tete-tete between Sister Giovanna and her former governess, Madame Bernard, (played by Maude Blair) was particularly charming. The parts were all well played, giving Miss Grant uniformly good support.
Miss Grant is expected to appear at the Lawrence Colonial for the next two weeks, at least. In "Why Men Leave Home", which will be staged week after next, she will again appear in a leading part, and her many friends will look forward with interest to seeing her interpret a character of so diverse a type.

Little dogs which ride luxuriously in limousines have come to be a common product of our effete civilization but Andover has the distinction of possessing a cat which enjoys a ride on the fire truck.

"Tommy", a small black cat which is the mascot of the Andover fire department, has made himself quite at home in the coils of the hose and rides forth undisturbed by the sudden whirl of the motor. Retiring to the seat when the piece is in action, he returns to the cozy seclusion of the hose for the homeward ride. Needless to say, his loyalty is much appreciated by the "fire ladders."

The Townsman

November Club Notes

"Anna Seward a gentle Rebel" was the subject of a delightful talk given by Miss Mary A. Jordan before members of the November club and their guests on Monday afternoon.

The place held among her contemporaries by this almost forgotten litterateur was described by the speaker with a delicate humor. Born in Derbyshire, England, in 1743, in early life she removed with her father, the Rev. Thomas Seward, to the Bishop's palace, Litchfield, where he was established as resident Canon. An unusually handsome woman, she was painted by Romney, and her house was the gathering place for all the notable men of the day.

Her voluminous correspondence, both literary and intimate, was edited by Sir Walter Scott and Constable, and published in twelve volumes. She also wrote poems and novels. These are found now only in rare editions and are seldom read. The reason that none of her works, which enjoyed a wide popularity during her lifetime, have endured, was explained by Miss Jordan by the fact that her author was only a drawing room ornament, possessed of a rudimentary soul and a mechanical heart, who wrote with ink, rather than with her life blood.

At the close of the lecture, afternoon tea was served with Mrs. E. Victor Bigelow and Mrs. Henry C. Sanborn, pouring.

The department of art will meet at the Andover Guild on Monday, April 2, at three o'clock. There will be an exhibition of brass and copper.

The department of literature will meet with Mrs. Alfred H. Hall, Bartlett street, on Wednesday, April 4, at half past three.

The department of music will meet with Mrs. J. J. Mahoney, School street, on Monday, April 2, at half past three.

The department of drama will meet with Mrs. Arthur Bliss, Highland road, on Friday afternoon, April 6, at three o'clock. The subject of the afternoon will be "Anna Christie" by Eugene O'Neill.

The department of civics meets this afternoon at the clubhouse, at 3.15 o'clock. Mrs. Claude U. Gilson will lecture on current history.

Legion to Sponsor Troop of Boy Scouts
Andover post 8, American Legion, voted to sponsor the troop of Boy Scouts of America, organized under Robert V. Dyermond, scout master. This action was taken at a meeting of the post held Tuesday evening with Commander Thaxter Eaton presiding. The committee appointed to have the matter in charge was Kellogg Boynton, Arthur R. Lewis, Harry Rodger and Horace Hale Smith.

Kenneth Foster, who recently left town, resigned as chairman of the house committee. Paul M. Cheney, past commander, was appointed and Harry Rodger was also added to the committee.

The announcement was made that on Tuesday evening, April 24, Congressman John Jacob Rogers will address the Legion. The place of the meeting will be announced later.

The post will attend Memorial Sunday services at the Baptist church on May 27, on invitation of Rev. C. Norman Bartlett, pastor. It was also decided to hold Poppy day as usual the week of Memorial day.

A number of posters of exceptional merit advertising the Legion play, "Nothing But the Truth," were submitted by pupils of Pundard high and Stowe schools. A letter of thanks and appreciation was sent to Principal Hamblin.

The principal discussion of the evening was on the problem of obtaining new rooms and the matter of trying to obtain those of the R. C. O. A. in the Barnard block, was left with the executive committee. After the meeting refreshments were served.

Violin Lessons

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Local Boy Makes Record of Distinctive Scholastic Achievement

The name of J. W. Sanborn, class of 1923, son of Supt. and Mrs. Henry C. Sanborn of Locke street, is included in the records of men of distinctive scholastic achievement at Dartmouth during the first half of the college year 1922-23, as published recently. On the list are the names of 173 students who attained an average rank of 3.2 on a scale in which 4 is the highest grade obtainable. Of the 173 men listed, 85 are seniors, 42 juniors, 29 sophomores, and 14 freshmen. A perfect mark was attained by 11 seniors, five juniors and one sophomore. The highest mark achieved by a freshman was 3.7.

An interesting feature of the scholarship report lies in the discovery that of the 173 high rank men, 100 are from New England states, and 56 of these from Massachusetts. The percentage of Dartmouth students coming from New England homes is only 42.21 while the New England boys constitute 57.80 percent of the high scholarship men. Likewise only 27.71 percent of Dartmouth students come from the state of Massachusetts but Massachusetts has accounted for 32.38 per cent of the men of distinctive scholastic achievement.

Births

March 23, 1923, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. David Gordon of 13 Washington avenue.
March 25, 1923, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Haskell of High Plain road.
March 26, 1923, at the Lawrence General hospital, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Earl Merrow of 21 Elm street.
March 27, 1923, in Washington, D. C., a son, Stewart Kendall, to Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Engine Harvey (Miss Marion J. Fraser.)

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CALENDAR FOR COMING WEEK

SOUTH CHURCH Central Street Congregational. Organized 1711 Rev. E. Victor Bigelow, Pastor 10.30. Easter service of worship. 12.00. Church School. 6.30. Christian Endeavor. 7.45 Monday. Courtesies Circle of The King's Daughters. 7.45 Wednesday. Midweek service. Subject, Resurrection. 8.30 Thursday. Women's prayer meeting. 8.00 to 5.30 Friday. Easter Sale by the Women's Union, with Waukegan Camp Fire Tea and Junior Helpers' Drama.	FREE CHURCH Elm Street Congregational. Organized 1840 Rev. Arthur S. Wheelock, Pastor 10.30. Easter service with sermon by the pastor and special music by the choir. 12.00. Church School. 6.15. Christian Endeavor. 7.30 Monday. Meeting of the Alpha Phi Chi. 7.45 Tuesday. Presentation of "Who Killed Barbers" by members of the Christian Endeavor. 7.45 Wednesday. Midweek meeting. 8.00 Thursday. Refreshment of Junior choir.
WEST CHURCH Congregational. Organized 1856 Rev. Newman Matthews, Pastor 10.30. Easter morning service, with special music and with sermon by the pastor. 12.00. Sunday School. 7.00. C. E. meeting at the parsonage, led by James R. Carter. 7.45 Wednesday. Meeting for prayer and conference. 7.45 Friday. Choir rehearsal under the direction of Mrs. Wright. 8.00 Saturday. In Grange Hall, three short plays presented by groups of girls.	CHRIST CHURCH Central Street Episcopal. Organized 1835 Rev. C. W. Henry, Rector 7.30. Holy communion. 9.00. Holy communion. 10.30. Service with holy communion and sermon. 4.15. Festival service: carols, and address by Miss Lincoln of Shanghai. 2.00 to 6.00 Monday. Girls' Friendly Society sale. 4.00 Wednesday. St. Catherine's Guild. 8.00 Wednesday. Social party and dance in the November Club house: Circle of Friendship. 2.30 Thursday. Women's Guild. 7.00 and 7.30 Friday. Choir: boys and men.
PHILLIPS ACADEMY CHAPEL "On the Hill" No service, because of vacation.	BAPTIST CHURCH Elm Street Organized 1822 Rev. C. Norman Bartlett 10.30. Morning worship with an Easter sermon by the pastor, followed by the Lord's Supper. 12.00. Bible School. 6.30. Christian Endeavor. 7.15. Baptismal service. Sermon on "Heaven" with music by orchestra. 7.45 Tuesday. Monthly Christian Endeavor social. Place to be announced later. 6.30 Wednesday. Supper and annual church meeting. A large attendance is requested. All societies requested to submit reports. 8.00 Thursday. Mission Circle will meet in the church vestry. 7.45 Thursday. Choir rehearsal.
ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH Elm Street Roman Catholic. Organized 1850 Rev. Fr. Nugent, Pastor First Sunday of month. Communion day for Sacred Heart Sodality. Second Sunday of month. Communion day for Knights of Good Council. Third Sunday of month. Communion day for Holy Name Society. Fourth Sunday of month. Communion day for Children of Mary. Holy Name Society meets fourth Monday evening of each month. Sacred Heart Sodality meets first Friday evening of each month. Knights of Good Council meet second Wednesday evening of each month. Promoters of Presentation of the Faith, second Thursday evening of each month. Altar boys meet first Monday evening of each month.	NORTH PARISH CHURCH North Andover Centre Unitarian. Organized 1645 Rev. E. J. Prescott, Minister

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Main Street Spring Cleaning

It has been a matter of general interest to everyone, to see how well Main street has survived the first winter of traffic, and it is pleasing to note the comparatively few places in which faulty construction can be blamed for improper condition of the road-bed. Probably the most serious discrepancy in the construction of the road, is the apparently careless way in which the gratings for the catch-basins between the car tracks have been laid. Whether their depth below the level of the road is caused by improper laying at the time of construction or by subsequent sinking of the gratings since their laying, their present condition is serious and should be given prompt attention. It is understood that the responsibility for the care of these gratings rests upon the street railway company. If such is the case, it seems very improbable that any steps will be taken to remedy the present situation for some time to come.

While the town voted not to build granolithic sidewalks up "either" side of the street, it does seem as if some small amount of temporary repairing should be done very soon on the present sidewalks. Winter has destroyed most of the temporary repairs which were done last fall, and made a pretty ragged, and in places a dangerous, sidewalk. The judicious use of a little crushed stone would do much to better the condition of the walks above Chestnut street, and such repairs could be made at a comparatively small cost to the town.

No greater disgrace has been foisted on us for some time, than is the cinder walk which serves for a path in front of the town hall. Uneven, unsightly, difficult to walk on, dirty, this short stretch of walk should receive the prior consideration of the town authorities, to the end that something may be done to give the town a more suitable walk in front of its administration building.

And still decorative pillars are barren of any gleam of light. Assuredly, the lighting committee must have done everything within its power to stimulate the Lawrence Gas Company to complete the installation of the Main street lights long before April 1, 1923. The wonder of it is, that any public service company can procrastinate for such a length of time over the completion of what must be considered a comparatively small piece of work and still

hope to merit the support of the public it claims to "serve."

Perhaps we'll wake up some fine morning and find that a genie in the night has performed all Main street's spring cleaning, lights, sidewalks, and catch-basins. More probably we'll find the responsible parties remarking next fall that there's no sense attending to these little matters until after the winter is over. The Townsman is led by past experience to hope for the former, but to fear the latter.

Editorial Cinders

The Townsman publishes in another column, a communication inspired by the fate of the War Memorial Committee's report at the recent town meeting, and the remarks published in this column on the treatment which the report received. The Townsman wishes to state again, the fact that it did not approve of the report of the committee in every detail, but that it does think that the absolute rejection of a town planning scheme such as was proposed, and for that matter the implied statement that all town planning schemes would receive exactly the same treatment in any town meeting, does not do credit to Andover. Mr. Cheney's remarks to the effect that whatever the town does for a memorial, it should construct something of a serviceable nature, are certainly the right sort of talk, but it is difficult to see how justice can be done in the matter unless the construction of the memorial is tied up in some way with a plan for future development of the town.

The Chamber of Commerce has progressed to the appointment of committees stage. In the choice of its committees, it has seemed to have acted wisely and well, although actual accomplishment can be the best proof of the excellency of its choice.

Esra H. Valpey, who passed away at his home on Summer street last Sunday leaves many friends behind him in the town. As a store-keeper, it can be said of him that he sold to his customers nothing but the best of everything which could be bought; as a man, his downright honesty and retiring nature were characteristics which made him a greatly admired and respected citizen of Andover.

Retires From Firm of Lee, Higginson and Company

David Shaw retires from the firm of Lee, Higginson and Co., Bankers, Boston, New York, and Chicago, after over thirty-six years as a clerk and partner.

He went to the Boston office of the firm as an entry clerk on December 1, 1886. After working in every department, he was made office manager, a position he held for several years. In 1905 he was admitted as a partner in the firm. Mr. Shaw has many outside interests to which he wishes to give more time and will have an office at 15 Exchange street, Boston.

Locally, he is president and director of the Andover Press; trustee and auditor of the Andover Savings Bank; trustee of the E. W. Pitman Estate and trustee of church funds of the South church. He is also vice president and director of the Rolfe Coal Mining Co., of West Virginia; president and director of the Golden Rule Co., publishers of the Christian Endeavor World, the official organ of the United Society of Christian Endeavor; trustee of the Estate of the late Major Henry Lee Higginson; attorney for Mrs. Henry L. Higginson, also trustee of several smaller funds. Mr. Shaw will continue to live in Andover.

Plan Pop Concert for Bene't of Parochial School

A pop concert will be held in the town hall Monday evening, April 16, for the benefit of St. Augustine's parochial school. A committee of women of the parish with Mrs. M. J. Curran as honorary chairman, are working zealously to make the affair the most successful of its kind ever held in this vicinity.

Lossez's Copley Plaza orchestra has been secured to furnish music for dancing. A number of prominent entertainers have been secured, including singers, toe dancers, and a harpist. The town hall will be attractively decorated for the occasion.

To aid in defraying the expenses of the pop concert a hot-cross bun and bakery sale was held in Crowley's men's furnishing store on Thursday, March 29.

Presentation to Mr. Donald

Walter S. Donald, who has recently retired after eighteen years of service to the town as selectman, was called into the police station, Wednesday evening, not to feel the weight of the arm of the law, but to receive the gift of a handsome bribe pipe with an amber stem, accompanied by a supply of tobacco and matches to make the smoker's pleasure complete.

Beside the members of the police department, the Board of Selectmen, George A. Higgins, town clerk, and William B. Cheever, tax collector, were also present. The presentation was made by Chief Frank M. Smith, and Mr. Donald expressed his appreciation of their thoughtfulness.

Women's Union to Hold Easter Sale

On Friday, April 6, all roads will lead to the South church where there is to be something to interest all ages.

At three o'clock the ladies of the sewing department of the Women's Union will hold their annual Easter sale of aprons, and home-cooked foods.

The Waukawan Camp Fire girls will be on hand to serve tea and sell candy for the benefit of their treasury.

Fifty cents will admit one to the Indian room. Here at 4:15 p.m., the Junior Helpers will present a missionary play, entitled "If They Only Knew."

A shut-in member of the parish has made some very useful and dainty articles, which will be on sale at moderate prices.

Sudden Drop in Temperature

Wednesday night and Thursday morning were among the coldest of the winter and quite the bitterest to endure as a high wind accompanied the zero temperature.

Between noon and midnight on Wednesday the thermometer fell more than twenty degrees. A blinding snow squall lasting for nearly an hour gave another taste of winter Wednesday afternoon.

Readings of the thermometer on Thursday morning varied from two to eight below.

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GIVE MINSTREL SHOW

(Continued from page 1)

Miss Helen Otis gave valuable assistance as accompanist at the rehearsals and was assisted on Wednesday evening by Dwyer's orchestra which also played for dancing after the show.

The program was as follows:

Opening Chorus—
Carolina in the Morning
Love Will Find a Way
Tomorrow
End Song—Jimbo-Jambo
Solo—Love Brings a Little Gift of Roses
Entire Company
Andrew Jackson
Miss Marie McGrath
George Brown
Miss Sadie MacLeish
Margaret Laurie
Misses Elizabeth Valentine and Helen Scannell
End Song—You Tell 'Em, I Stutter
Solo—Indian Cabaret
Specialty—Homesick
End Song—Lovin' Sam
Grand Finale—Carolina Home, featuring parade of Wooden Soldiers by Senior Girls
Entire Company

The minstrels:
Interlocutor—Jack Keefe.
End men—C. Murphy, B. Brown, G. Brown, A. Jackson.
Soloists—M. McGrath, J. Bissett, I. Francis, Walter Murphy, E. Valentine, H. Scannell.
Specialties—A. Hurwitch, E. Dwyer, E. Urban, A. Polgreen, A. Ness, S. MacLeish, H. Hackney, E. Brown.
Chorus—William Burbine, E. Henderson, M. Darby, W. Green, G. Earley, S. Bissett, D. Ferrier, J. Morton, J. Craig, T. Morton, F. Murphy, W. Holden, J. Davidson, J. Munroe, M. Goldstein, A. Anderson, H. Lawrence, J. Burbine, J. Timony.

Legion to Present Play

"Nothing But the Truth" will be presented in the Town hall on Thursday, and Friday evenings, April 5 and 6, by Andover Post 8, American Legion.

Included in the cast are many who have been well received in amateur theatrical performances. The play is being carefully coached by Thomas A. Galvin of Methuen. Tickets are now on sale at Stacey's drug store with a better choice of seats for Thursday evening. It is hoped that the audience will assemble promptly as it is a long play and the curtain will rise at eight o'clock sharp.

Music will be furnished by Millington's orchestra and there will be dancing both evenings following the play.

The cast of characters:
Clarence Van Dusen
E. M. Ralston
Bishop Doran
Dick Donnelly
Robert Bennett
Mrs. E. M. Ralston
Gwendolyn Ralston
Ethel Clark
Mabel Jackson
Sabel Jackson
Martha
Irving Piper
Thomas Galvin
Arthur Swenson
Kenneth Wade
Frederick Hulme
Mabel Marshall
Doris Coolidge
Anne Brady
Agnes Dugan
Mae Simmons
Caroline Phillips

SYNOPSIS OF SCENES

Act 1. Interior of a broker's office in one of the principal uptown hotels.
Act 2. Parlor in summer home of E. M. Ralston, Long Island.
Act 3. Same as Act 2.

Pop Concert at Free Church

The Alpha Phi Chi and the X. B. K. chapters of the Free church will hold a Pop concert, Tuesday evening, April 10. Tickets are now on sale for the entertainment. These tickets do not entitle the holder to a reservation at the tables for the supper. Reservations can be made by applying to Miss Jessie Coons. Supper will be served at 6:30. The entertainment which follows, is a play, "A Japanese Wedding." Music will be furnished during the supper by an orchestra.

Reserve your table before April 8, and help make the second annual Pop concert a success.

Mr. Stackpole Resigns from Public Health Committee

In accepting the resignation of Markham W. Stackpole from the Public Health Committee of the Andover Red Cross, the following letter has been sent by the secretary to Mr. Stackpole, as expressing the sentiments of the committee:

Reverend Markham W. Stackpole
71 Valley Road, Milton.
Dear Mr. Stackpole:

The Public Health Committee of the Andover Red Cross is most unwilling to accept your withdrawal from its membership without attempting to express to you its high appreciation of the work which you have done in the town, especially in its own particular field.

We recall how, fifteen years ago, at the beginning of our organized labors, you were treasurer of the old Tuberculosis Committee, yourself carrying in large part the burden of administration. To this initial body Andover now owes its visiting nurse. To you largely was due also the expansion of the Andover Tuberculosis Committee. As president of this latter until you left for the war front, you both administered its routine and guided its development. Since then, along with others, you have arranged the present cooperation with the Red Cross. The work which you began is now established. Its continuance and its future expansion seem assured. To your wisdom, diligence, and far-sighted tact, more than to any other single cause, the town of Andover owes this beneficent organization.

Yours on behalf of the Committee,
LILIAN BREWSTER, secretary.

John Shea Buys White-Hall Garage

The land and buildings belonging to the White-Hall garage on Park street, were purchased by John Shea of Lawrence at a public auction held on the premises, Thursday afternoon. Mr. Shea was also a large purchaser of other property offered for sale including automobiles and accessories.

Mr. Shea is now engaged in the hay, and grain business in Lawrence, having branch stores in Methuen, North Andover, and on Essex street, in Andover. The Andover store will be removed as soon as possible to the new location on Park street, where the greatly enlarged quarters will allow for an expansion of business and room to carry a larger stock of supplies, thereby giving better service than ever before to Andover customers.

Clyde W. White and Alfred Hall purchased the Park street property from Raymond Buchanan after he removed to his new building on Main street. In August of this year, they would have completed four years of service to automobile owners at this stand.

Andover Branch League of Nations Meets

The Andover branch of the League of Nations, non-partisan organization, met Friday night in the lower town hall with Dr. Alfred E. Stearns presiding. The officers reported that they had not yet selected the executive committee, but expected to do so soon. They were also given power to enlarge it from time to time.

It is planned by the local branch to conduct a campaign along educational lines and a mass meeting will be held later in the Town hall with addresses by well-known speakers.

There was much enthusiasm shown at the meeting Friday night which was well attended. The next meeting will be held Monday evening, April 2.

Want Opinions On War Memorial

Return postals are being sent out by Andover Post, American Legion to each of the members asking each one's opinion on the proposed war memorial, presented at the annual town meeting by E. V. French and his committee. The postal also asks for other suggestions for a war memorial.

Come in and hear Records for March the New Edison Records for March

51120 Bring Back the Sunshine You Took Away—Fox Trot Lady of the Lake Waltz. Intro. Salut d'Armour	Stevens Dance Orchestra
51127 Peggy Dear—Fox Trot To Have and To Hold—Fox Trot	Al. Burt's Dance Orchestra
51138 The Natchez and The Robert E. Lee—Fox Trot Anaschka (from Chauve Souris)—Fox Trot	Broadway Dance Orchestra
51058 The 74th Regiment Band March Joyce's 71st New York Regiment Band March	United States Marine Band
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COMEDY
PATHE NEWS

MONDAY AND TUESDAY, APRIL 2 AND 3
D. W. GRIFFITH'S "ORPHANS OF THE STORM."
JIM AUBREY IN "THE NUISANCE."
TOPICS OF THE DAY

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4
DUSTIN FARNUM IN "THE YOSEMITE TRAIL."
"RUSTUS OF REDWOOD," WESTERN DRAMA
COMEDY
PATHE NEWS

THURSDAY, APRIL 5
KATHERINE MacDONALD IN "STRANGER THAN FICTION."
EDGAR JONES IN "LONESOME CORNERS."

ABBOTT VILLAGE

Miss Mary Lane of Essex street spent Monday visiting in Boston.

John Addley of Brechin terrace visited friends in Quincy at the week-end.

Mrs. David Forbes of Red Spring road is visiting her brother in Boston this week.

Miss Anna Smith of Cuba street, spent the week-end with relatives in Cambridge.

Miss Margaret Valentine of Brechin terrace spent the week-end with relatives in Boston.

James Stewart of West Peabody is visiting at the home of Robert Low of Brechin terrace.

George Craig of Brechin terrace has entered the employ of the Smith and Dove company.

Mrs. Isabell McLaughlan of Red Spring road spent the week-end at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Soutar, in Melrose.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gordon and family who arrived from Arbroath Scotland Monday, have established their home on Red Spring road.

Mrs. George Moore of Methuen recently visited her grandmother, Mrs. Robert Valentine, at the family home on Brechin terrace.

Mr. and Mrs. McFarlane of Blairgowrie, Scotland, have taken up their residence in the home provided by their daughter, Rita, in Brechin terrace.

Miss Elizabeth Brown who arrived from Arbroath, Scotland, Monday, is residing with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Valentine, on Brechin terrace.

Mrs. Alexander Beattie, recently from Arbroath, Scotland, has joined her husband here. Mr. Beattie is the caretaker of the Masonic building where the couple will reside.

Will Take Tropical Trip With Honor Students

Included in a party of honor students from Tabor academy at Marion, who started Friday on a trip to the tropics is Gordon H. Chandler, son of Associate Justice and Mrs. Fred N. Chandler of Main street. With seven others, he earned the trip by exceptional merit in studies. The party in charge of W. Huston Lillard, principal of the academy and former football coach at Phillips academy, left Friday on the S. S. San Bas, of the United Fruit Co., and will cruise to Havana, Port Lemon and return. Marion Academy specializes in navigation, and members of the party will have an opportunity to study navigation as well as see a little of the world.

WEST PARISH

Bessie Carter, Priscilla Cutler and Winona Boutwell are at home for the Easter recess.

The Christian Endeavor Society will meet at the parsonage on Sunday evening, seven o'clock.

Mrs. Ida F. Shaw of Osgood district, is visiting her son, Walter B. Shaw, at Stoddard, New Hampshire.

Walter F. Rutter of Wild Rose Farm has accepted a position in the western part of the state. He leaves shortly to take up this position.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hazelton of High Plain road are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Sunday. Mother and son are doing well.

Rev. Arthur Barber of Lawrence was the speaker at Andover Grange on Tuesday evening. As usual his speech was humorous, yet filled with facts that held the interest of the audience to the end. The next meeting to be held on April 10, will be the working of the first and second degrees.

The "Girl's group" of the West church who are working for the vestry fund, will present three short plays, Saturday night, April 7, at eight o'clock, in the Grange hall. The plays are, "Cinderella," "The Three Bears," and "The City Mouse and the Country Mouse." Tickets are 35 cents. Further notice will be given in next week's Townsman.

Chamber of Commerce Appoints Committees

Traffic and public health committees and retail merchants' council have been recently appointed by the Andover Chamber of Commerce as follows:

Public health committee: Dr. E. C. Conroy, chairman, David Lawson, F. H. Stacey, Louis Huntress, and George L. Smith.

Traffic committee: Joseph L. Burns, chairman, Samuel Reank, Frank McDonald, Philip Cole, and Clyde White.

The public health committee will co-operate with other existing organizations interested in the prevention and cure of disease and make a study of better methods of disposing of ashes and garbage.

The work of the traffic committee will be to prepare and suggest motor routes through Andover, arrange for parking spaces, and street markers, and further the adoption of standard traffic rules.

The following men have been appointed by the president to be known as the Retail Merchants' Council: W. C. Crowley, Walter Morse, Ernest T. Hetherington, Carl Elander, Paul Simeone, James E. Greeley, Al Roesch, Joseph A. Rand, Albert Rivard, Frank L. Cole.

The Committee will meet within the next few days, organize and elect their own chairman. Among some of the suggested activities of the council are the following:

Exchange of credit information among the members, co-operation with adjacent towns relative to check forgery, fake solicitors and other frauds. Prosecution of transient merchants who have not complied with local regulations. Protection of members against fraudulent advertising mediums.

Promotion of special sales days, merchants week or other plans of benefit to the shoppers. It is the aim of the council to do a few things well rather than to attempt an elaborate program and accomplish only a little.

Three Fire Alarms This Week

Box 28 located at the engine house Ballardvale summoned the fire department to the home of J. W. Stark on Center street at 7:40 o'clock Thursday morning. A chimney fire in progress at the home of Mr. Stark was quickly extinguished. No damage resulted.

The alarm from Box 52 Thursday morning was for a fire on the roof of Buchanan and McNally's barn on Park street, the second within twenty-four hours. The cause of the fire is said to be sparks from the chimney of White Brothers' Picker factory in the next building where shavings are used for fuel.

More Like Extraction. Maude—Sarah has taken up commercial art. Molly—Indeed! And what does she draw? Maude—Her husband's salary.

The Parting Shot. Hunter (on mule back)—Can you shoot from this mule? Sam—Yesah, yo' can shoot from dat mule—once,—Life.

BALLARDVALE

UNION CONGREGATIONAL

Rev. A. H. Fuller, Pastor

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6.15. Christian Endeavor.

7.30 Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL

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Mrs. John Greenwood is spending a few days with her sister at Barre.

Miss Mabel Herrick was the guest of her cousin at Greewood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fone were recent visitors of friends in South Boston.

Miss Annie Clemons spent the week-end at her home on Marland street.

Mrs. Nathan Mears, Center street, is recovering from a recent operation.

Mrs. Northrop and son are spending a few days with relatives in Revere.

George R. Miller has returned from a two weeks' business trip through Maine.

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Miss Minnie Shattuck of Salem, N. H., was the guest of friends here on Sunday.

Darwin Stark is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Paul Abbott, of Hartford, Conn.

Miss Margaret Cronin spent the week-end visiting her brother, Fred Cronin, in Worcester.

H. J. Gardner spent Sunday visiting his daughter, Mrs. James Anderson, West Medway.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. David Stein of Marland street are confined to their home by illness.

Miss Katharine Clinton has accepted a position with the Wills Motor Car Company, Lawrence.

The Ladies' Aid society met with Mrs. Joseph Stott, High street, on Wednesday afternoon.

Misses Annabelle and Helen Steed were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Matthews on Sunday.

Earl Moody spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George R. Moody, Marland road.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ferris of North Andover spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Kydd of River road.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drevett of Reading were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Walter York, Oak street.

Mrs. Cecil Jones of Dorchester was a recent guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Buckley, Chester street.

Mrs. E. W. Brown and son, Buddy, spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Nickerson of Melrose Highlands.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Haebler spent the week-end at the home of their daughter, Mrs. William Ludwig of Lawrence.

Miss Margaret Walthall of New York City was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Titcomb, Marland street, this week.

Miss Alice Coates of the Homeopathic hospital, Boston, spent the week-end at the home of her parents on Marland street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Troutman of Somerville were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Troutman, River street, Sunday.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church will be entertained by the Central Methodist church, Lawrence, on April 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Troutman of Lawrence were the guests Sunday of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Troutman, River street.

Mr. and Mrs. George Day of Watertown were the week-end guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Gagan, Andover street.

Miss Alice Loomer of Wheaton college is spending the Easter vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos B. Loomer, Andover, street.

The first annual business meeting of the X. B. K. will be held in the Congregational vestry on Tuesday evening, April 3. There will be an initiation.

Charles Haynes led the Christian Endeavor meeting at the Congregational church on Sunday evening. There was a good attendance present.

Carl Wells led the Epworth League meeting on Sunday evening at the Methodist church. The subject was, "What Jesus Expected of Me." Before the close of the meeting questions were asked by the leader and an open discussion held on the subject.

The Willing Workers of the Methodist Episcopal church held a successful bakery sale in William Stark's meat market on Saturday morning. They had for sale a bountiful supply of cakes, pies and baked beans. A goodly sum was netted to the organization by the sale.

The Bradlee Mothers' Club will entertain the Shawheen Village and Andover Mother's clubs at their next meeting in the Community room, April 5. The following committee will be in charge: Mrs. Elmer Conkey, chairman; Mrs. Annie Littlewood, Mrs. Joseph Wood, Mrs. Mabel Griffin, and Mrs. Freeman Abbott.

The regular meeting of Ballardvale lodge was held Monday evening and in the absence of the chief templar, Charles Litchfield, Mrs. Frances Benson presided. The membership contest between Roosevelt lodge and Ballardvale lodge has resulted in a victory for the former, and Ballardvale lodge will serve a supper to the winners on April 14.

Birthday Party Held

A very pleasant birthday party was held recently at the home of Mrs. Benjamin Summers, Clark road, in honor of the sixth birthday of little George Lawrence.

The afternoon was spent singing songs and listening to recitations by those present and afterwards the guests sat down to a prettily decorated table that contained a bountiful supply of goodies, such as all children enjoy.

The table was trimmed with pink crepe paper with yellow flowers. Each guest was given a pretty basket containing candy.

Among those present were Eva Kibbee, Harriet Kibbee, Alice Kibbee, Helen Nicoll, Margaret Benson, Vivian Gordon, Mildred Gordon, Dorothy Gordon, Hans Gordon, Ethel Murphy, Arthur Kibbee, Bernard

Kibbee, Norman Kibbee, James Nicoll, Kenneth Nicoll, Donald Davis, William Benson, George Lawrence. The matrons were Mrs. Murphy, Mrs. Summers, Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. Benson.

Stereopticon Lecture Well Attended

Rev. C. M. Shab of the Methodist church gave a fine lecture illustrated by beautifully colored slides on the subject, "The Gospel of the Working World" at the M. E. church on Sunday evening. The pictures showed pointed out vividly the need of the working people. The pictures showed what some of the large organizations are doing for their employees in the way of rest rooms, hospitals. Other slides pointed out the needs of the working men and women who are obliged to live in degrading conditions in cities and in mining districts.

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Record Slow Mail.

An English newspaper reports the recent delivery of a letter containing a key which reached its destination fifty-six years after it was mailed.

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JONAH AS MOSLEM PROPHET

Followers of Mohammed Regard His Tomb as One of Their Most Holy Places.

Close to the mound in Mesopotamia that once was Nineveh, is another, known to the Arabs as Nebi-Yunus, atop of which is the tomb of Jonah. How the followers of Mohammed came to adopt this perfectly good Hebrew as one of their own prophets is not clear, but the fact remains that his tomb has been a Moslem shrine for upward of a thousand years, observes E. Alexander Powell in Harper's Magazine.

The sarcophagus itself, covered with priceless Persian shawls, the offerings of pilgrims, stands in the center of a square, vaulted chamber, the floor of which is considerably below the level of the ground, thereby giving the interior, which is lined with porcelain tiles of the "lost" shade of Persian blue, a most refreshing coolness after the sun glare outside.

Depending from the dome by a silver chain, so that they swing directly over the resting place of the intrepid Jewish seafarer, are several "swords" of the swordfish. When I asked the aged mullah who was in charge of the shrine what they were, he explained, in a tone which betrayed pity for my ignorance, that they were the teeth of the whale that swallowed Jonah!

NOVELIST PROVED HIS CASE

Critics of Dickens' "Spontaneous Combustion" Death Proved Wrong by Eminent Medical Men.

It may be recalled that Charles Dickens, the famous novelist, employs spontaneous combustion to give force to one of the episodes in his fascinating story known as "Bleak House."

One of the dark characters of the story is old Krook, proprietor of a rag and bone warehouse. He is a grasping drunkard, consuming great quantities of gin. One day two men, occupying an upper room in the old warehouse, smell burning, and on going below to investigate, found a smoldering heap of something looking like charred old rags. At the inquest the coroner's jury held that old Krook came to his end by spontaneous combustion.

Some critics of Dickens challenged this as being impossible. The account of Krook's death was, therefore, bad art and a blemish on the whole story. Dickens replied by citing a similar case that had occurred in Paris, France, and was confirmed by a report of several eminent medical men who had thoroughly investigated the matter.

Goodness Increases Wisdom. Sir Henry Taylor three generations ago wrote "The Statesman." It remains a classic of English literature. This paragraph is a fair example:

"The correspondence of wisdom and goodness are manifold; and that they will accompany each other is to be inferred, not only because men's wisdom makes them good, but also because their goodness makes them wise. Questions of right and wrong are a perpetual exercise of the faculties of those who are solicitous as to the right and the wrong of what they do and see; and a deep interest of the heart in these questions carries with it a deeper cultivation of the understanding than can be easily affected by any other incitement to intellectual activity.

The Wise in Council.

The men who have method, and, as it were, a judicial intellect, are most valuable councillors. Without such men in a council, a great deal of cleverness goes for nothing; as there is nobody to see what has been stated and answered, to what their deliberations tend, and what progress has been made. Such persons gather the sense of a mixed assembly, and suggest a line of action which may honestly meet the different views of the various members. They will bring back the subject matter when it has all but floated away, while the others have been looking for seaweed, or throwing stones at one another on the shore.—Sir Arthur Helps.

Birds Rid Cattle of Parasites.

The ox-pecker, a bird inhabiting the dark continent, is so called from its fondness for being around domestic and other cattle, which it rids of various parasites. It is said that it actually eats large holes in the fleshy parts of the backs of cattle, often one or two inches deep, and two or three inches in diameter, thus creating bad sores. It does this little by little, and day by day, attacking just that part of the back where the ox cannot swish it off with its tail or dislodge it with its horns. The bird is a pest to the hunter, of whose approach it warns the buffalo and rhinoceros by its loud, harsh note, which is perfectly understood by its huge friends.

Jack Frost's Doings.

An egg expands when it is frozen and breaks its shell. Apples contract so much that a full barrel will shrink until the top layer is a foot below the chime. When the frost is drawn out the apples assume their normal size and fill the barrel again.

Certain varieties are not appreciably injured by being frozen if the frost is drawn out gradually. Apples will carry safely in a refrigerating car while the mercury is registering fully 20 degrees below zero.

Potatoes, being so largely composed of water, are easily frozen. Once touched by frost they are ruined.

ONION'S VALUE AS MEDICINE

For Many Ailments There is Nothing That Will Get as Good Results in Short Time.

The sweet Italian or the Bermuda onions are the ones to be eaten as nature, their flavor being much more delicate than that of the common varieties. But onions are really sweeteners of the breath after the local effects have passed away, as they correct stomach disorders and carry off the accumulated poisons of the system. They provide a blood purifier that may freely use, and do perfect work in constipation troubles. As a vermifuge the onion cannot be surpassed, and, eaten raw, will often check a violent cold in the head. One small onion eaten every night before retiring is a well-known doctor's prescription for numerous affections of the head, and is highly recommended for sleeplessness; it acts on the nerves in a soothing way, without the injurious effects of the drugs so often applied. The heart of an onion, heated and placed in the ear, will often relieve the agony of earache, while the syrup procured from sprinkling a sliced onion with sugar and baking in the oven will work wonders in a "croupy" child.

"HUNCH" WON FOR GAMBLERS

Fly's Alighting on Particular Number Surely Was Unfortunate for Monte Carlo Casino.

Sailors have always been considered superstitious, and miners come close second, but neither of them are more sensitive to trifling omens than the deep-dyed-in-the-wool gambler.

A Monte Carlo paper tells that a fly alighted on No. 13 on the roulette table recently at a time when the players had suffered a persistent run of bad luck. The superstitious gamblers exchanged covert glances and searched their pockets for money with which to stake.

In a few moments the "middle dozen," that is to say, the numbers 13 to 24, was liberally covered with stakes. Then an elderly gambler arose and piled napoleons round the square on which the fly had alighted, thus backing the numbers from 10 to 17.

Less confident players staked small amounts on the "transversals." The ivory marble was sent spinning round the roulette wheel, there was a moment of suspense, and then the croupier announced the winning number, 13. But, what is far more extraordinary, the same number came up three times in succession. That fly cost the Casino \$25,000.

Genuine Feathered Plane.

The man-of-war bird is a genuine feathered airplane. Without moving its wings seemingly for hours at a time, it calmly floats high in air, ascending in spirals, or drifting lazily along, directing its easy flight by changes of the angle of its "planes" so slight that any effort is not apparent. It is a distinctly tropical bird, seldom being seen farther north than along the coasts of Florida, the Gulf states and Southern California.

The bird is very impressive by reason of its size and the enormous stretch of its long, narrow wings, measuring some seven and a half feet across. When a great flock of thousands soar on motionless pinions, they appear like an aerial army of invasion. At close range their great hooked bills give them a rather fierce appearance, though they have but little to boast of in the way of talons, their feet being weak and clumsy, fit only for perching.

Figures in Scottish History.

"Black Douglas" was James Douglas, ninth and last earl of one branch of the Douglas family in Scotland. He was early in life engaged in schemes against James II, and then fled to England, where he had a pension from the crown, and was made knight of the Garter. In 1484 he leagued himself with the exiled duke of Albany, and invaded Scotland, when he was taken prisoner at Lochmaben. On being brought before the court he turned his back upon the king. The compassionate King James III spared his life on condition of his taking the cow. He then entered the monastic seclusion at Lindores, where he died.

Microscope Inventor Unknown.

Although the early history of the microscope is obscure, the first microscope is generally believed to have been made by Zacharias Jansen, a Dutchman, in 1590. The invention is also attributed to Galileo about 1610. Microscopes with double glasses appeared soon after the discovery of the law of the refraction of light, about 1624; but it was not until the invention of the achromatic lens and its application to the microscope by Lister and others that the instrument became of positive value in the cause of science. The binocular microscope was invented by Professor Riddell in 1851.

Where Lake Erie Got Its Name.

Lake Erie took its name from a tribe of Indians, of Iroquois stock, but not belonging to the Iroquois confederacy, known as the Eries, who lived in the western part of New York state on the south shore of the lake. Mr. Henry Gannett, an officer of the United States geological survey, and chairman of the United States Geographic Board, in his "Origin of Certain Place Names in the United States," gives the following: "Erie, one of the Great Lakes, from erie, erike, or eriga, meaning 'wild cat,' the name of an ancient tribe on its borders."

DUEL INDEFINITELY PUT OFF

Must Be Admitted That Israel Putnam's Method of Conducting It Was Somewhat Disconcerting.

Old Israel Putnam had his own ideas about dueling, although it was regarded in his day as more or less a part of a gentleman's code of honor. It once happened that Putnam unintentionally offended a brother officer in the Continental army. The dispute arose at a wine table, and the officer demanded instant reparation. Putnam, being a little excited, expressed his willingness to accommodate him with a fight, and it was stipulated that the duel should take place on the following morning, and that they should fight without seconds. At the appointed time the officer went to the dueling ground armed with swords and pistols. Putnam was there before him on the field and had taken a stand at the opposite end, musket in hand. Catching sight of his opponent he leveled his musket and fired. The astonished officer ran toward Putnam, who was deliberately reloading his piece. "What are you about?" he demanded. "Is this the conduct of an American officer and a man of honor?" "What am I about?" inquired Putnam. "A pretty question to ask a man whom you intended to murder; I'm about to kill you; and if you don't beat a retreat in less time than it would take Old Heath to hang a Tory you are a gone dog." He rammed home the charge in his musket and threw the piece to his shoulder; where at the would-be duelist took to his heels and fled for his life.

PROGRESS MADE IN TANNING

Process Known to Be at Least Three Thousand Years Old, but Improvements Came Slowly.

At first skins were cured by simply cleaning and drying. Then it was found the texture of the leather improved by the use of smoke, sour milk, various oils and the brains of the animals themselves. Later it was discovered that certain astringent barks and vegetables effected permanent changes in the texture of skins and stopped decay. The ancient Egyptians possessed this knowledge, for engravings on their tombs depict the process of tanning. In China specimens of leather have been discovered in company with other relics that prove them to be over three thousand years old. The Romans used leather which they tanned with oil, alum and bark. Early explorers in America found the Indians wearing skins prepared with buffalo dung, oil and clay.

No improvement in the general methods of preparing leather took place from the most primitive times until about 1730, when the use of lime to loosen the hair was introduced. By 1825 English tanners were attempting to introduce new methods by which the tanning process could be shortened. One of the pioneers in these experiments was John Burridge, the inventor of the barometer, an instrument for determining the strength of tanning liquors.

Life Rafts for Wharves and Docks.

Although ships have carried life rafts for many years, the only provision ordinarily made on docks and wharves for accidents is the common, round life preserver. These are inadequate at times, especially in the event of a gang-plank breaking and precipitating several persons into deep water at once. A California inventor, realizing this danger, has installed life rafts mounted on trucks for instant moving and launching. They are almost the size used by ships, but with a double deck body and a central cockpit for passengers, the whole being rigidly mounted on pontoons. The buoyancy of these rafts is sufficient to support a large number of persons.

Yes, Trees Must Eat.

Do you know how trees grow by forming new layers of wood directly under the bark? The roots are the support of the tree, says the School Book of Forestry. They also supply the tree with food. Through delicate hairs on the roots they absorb soil moisture and plant food from the earth and pass them along to the tree. The body of the tree acts as a passageway through which the food and drink are conveyed to the top or crown. The crown is the place where the food is digested and the regeneration of trees effected.

Are Screech Owls Ominous?

In some sections of the country people believe that when a screech owl alights and begins to send out its shivering cry into the night it is a sign of some ill luck which is soon to befall them. Particularly do ignorant people put faith in this sign. Many have been heard to say that it betokens the early death of a loved one. No more utterly false specter of the imagination was ever created. A screech owl is quite harmless. In fact, they are quite valuable, pretty little night birds.—Our Dumb Animals.

International Date-Line.

The International Date-Line is a hypothetical line, coinciding approximately with the meridian of longitude 180 degrees from Greenwich, fixed by international agreement as the place where each calendar day first begins. For practical purposes the meridian is not strictly followed, for the line runs through Alaska and irregularly through the Pacific ocean from north to south, of course.

East of the International Date-Line the day is dated one day earlier than in the west of the line.

SUPERSTITION AN OLD ONE

Modern Belief Concerning Groundhog Day Has Come to Us From Early German Folklore.

We owe our superstition of ground hog day to the Germans, who hold the idea in regard to the badger. They have a saying, "The shepherd would rather see the wolf enter his stable on Candlemas day than the sun." As the badger is little known east of the Mississippi river, the German belief as to the little creature's abilities as a weather prophet was transferred to the groundhog.

Pope Gelasius, in the Fifth century, instituted Candlemas day as a church festival. Pope Innocent XII, in a sermon, said, "Why do we in this feast carry candles? Because at the beginning of the pagan feast of Februalia the people walked about the city with lighted candles in memory of Ceres' search for her daughter Proserpine, stolen by Pluto. The holy fathers could not extricate this custom, so they ordained that what was formerly done in honor of Ceres should be done now in honor of the Virgin."

As this was the last month of the pagan year and its name comes from the Latin "februa," to expiate, probably the people of those days were afraid Ceres, the goddess of the grain, might punish them for their sins by light crops.

REWARDED FOR HIS HONESTY

Affluent Patron of Newsboy Richer by the Nickel He Had Offered to Return.

It was just at dusk and the late afternoon rush for the street cars had begun. The little newsboy on the corner was crying his papers energetically and making sales just about as fast as he could handle them. Up to the corner came a large, fur-coated, affluent man, who simply radiated prosperity.

"Here, sonny; give me a paper," he called.

"Yes, sir; here I are!" quickly responded the newsboy.

The man gave him a coin and the lad hastily counted out the change and hurried to make another sale. The man started to walk off, when he happened to notice that he did not have the correct change.

"Here, bud," he called. "You've cheated yourself out of a nickel. You gave me too much change."

"Is that right?" the boy answered. "Well, most people would have walked on off with the money! You just keep it; I like to encourage honesty!"—Kansas City Star.

Men of Remarkable Memories.

It is impossible not to wonder what overpowering floods of memories arose from return smells in the minds of men celebrated for their memory. Cyrus, founder of the Persian empire, knew the name of every officer (Pliny said every soldier) who served under him. Themistocles, the Athenian general and political leader, could call by name each one of the 20,000 citizens of Athens. Horatius, the Roman orator, who spoke in the Forum at nineteen, could sit all day at an auction sale, and at evening give an account from memory of everything sold, the purchaser and the price.

A young Corsican who was said to have lived at Padua could repeat without hesitation 30,000 names in the order in which he heard them, and then reverse the order and proceed backward to the first.

Feasting.

He that feasts his body with banquets and delicate fare, and starves his soul for want of spiritual food, is like him that feasts his slave and starves his wife.

When I behold a fashionable table set out in all its magnificence, I fancy that I see gout and dropsies, fevers and lethargies, with other innumerable distempers, lying in ambuscade among the dishes. Nature delights in the most plain and simple diet. Every animal, but man, keeps to one dish. Herbs are the food of this species, fish of that, and flesh of a third. Man falls upon everything that comes in his way; not the smallest fruit or excrement of the earth, scarce a berry or a mushroom escape him.—Addison.

Really Simple Recipe.

An old colored mummy was asked by a white neighbor just how she made such a wonderful gingerbread, and gave the following recipe:

"Oh, I jest puts a few handfuls o' flour in a bowl, then add a pinch o' salt, plenty o' aigs, little bit o' bakin' powder, some sugar, a lot o' ginger an' spices, fair-sized pitcher o' rich cream, lump o' butter and four gups o' molasses."

"Glups?" was the surprised retort. "What in the world is a glup?"

"Why, you know, when you pours molasses outen a jug it goes 'glup, glup.' Well in bakin' this ginger bread you lets it glup four times."

Proverbs of Primitive Peoples.

Proverbs of savage people are usually shrewd and pithy, as the following examples show. The Basutos say "The thief catches himself"; the Wolofs, "Before heading others head yourself." In Accra they say, "Nobody is twice a fool"; among the Ojib, "The moon does not grow full in a day"; "The poor man has no friends." A Pashto proverb says, "A feather does not stick without gum." Others say: "A crab does not bring forth a bird." "Cross the river before you abuse the crocodile." "Truth is only spoken by a strong man or a fool."

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With tan calf trimmings, cuban heels.

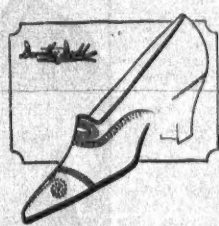
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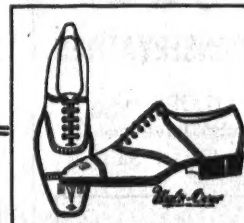
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Honor List of Phillips Academy

The names of Edward Pechmann Renouf and George Knight Sanborn of Andover appear on the honor list of Phillips Academy as students who have attained scholarship of the second grade during the winter term. The complete list of honor students is as follows:

Scholarship of the First Grade:—Edward Winslow Ames, Jr., Annapolis, Md.

George Alfred Eddy, Newtonville, N. Y. Paulding Farnham, New York, N. Y. Owen Richardson Garfield, Middleboro.

Robert Moulthrop Mears, Mansfield. Stuart Nash Scott, Madison, Wisc. Raymond Smith Willis, Jr., Glen Ridge, N. J.

James Lister Wolcott, Dover, Del. Scholarship of the Second Grade:—Warren Wilcox Anthony, Portsmouth, R. I.

Frederick Barton Braden, Jr., Essex, Ct. Charles William Buckley, Swampscott. John Landells Drummond, Bronxville, N. Y.

Edwin Turner Thompson, Fall River. Francis Beattie Thurber, 3d, New York, N. Y.

Walter Egan Trevett, Buffalo, N. Y. Roland Walker, Oberlin, Ohio. George Landon Watson, Kokomo, Ind.

Robert Wayland-Smith, Kenwood, N. Y. Gordon Read Weaver, Waterbury, Ct. Harold Albert William West, New York, N. Y.

Alden Darling White, Syracuse, N. Y. Richard George Whiting, Winter Hill, N. Y.

Four Percent of Massachusetts Milk Made into Ice Cream

According to the Federal census the average cow in Massachusetts produced in 1919 less than 5,000 pounds of milk. As a careful study has shown that under most conditions there is little likelihood of milk being produced and sold at a profit at present prices from cows giving less than 6,000 or 7,000 pounds of milk annually, it is evident that many cows failed to pay their way. This fact doubtless explains in part at least the decline in numbers of dairy animals for the first fifteen years of this century.

There has been a marked increase in the value of the cows owned in the State. This is partly due to the added values to all commodities but to quite an extent it is attributable to the improvement in dairy stock and hence they have a relatively as well as absolutely higher value.

By far the larger part of the milk produced in the State is marketed as cream or fluid milk. About 16 per cent of the milk is made into butter, 79 per cent sold as milk and cream and 4 per cent made into ice cream. The other one per cent is made into cheese or fed on the farm.

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"BOLD ROBBERY AT JONES."

A heading like that may be seen on the front page of the newspapers almost any day, yet some people continue to keep important papers and other valuables hidden in their houses.

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A Little Out of the Way

But It Pays To Walk

SHAWSHEEN MILLS WIN

Local Teams Lead in Every Branch of
Bowling in First Roll-Off of American
Woolen Tournament

The knockout matches were rolled at the
Restaurant alleys in the American Woolen
championship tournament, Monday night.
Shawsheen led the field with the highest team
single of 522 and a triple of 1481 in their
match with the Ayer mill team.

The local team won the first string and the
second was tied, 460 all, but the last and
deciding string was won by the villagers.
The Shawsheen team led in every branch.
Doherty rolled high single, 127, and a triple of
324 which was the highest rolled in the
knockout. Craddock was high for the losers
with 117 and 309.

Youth was served in the case of Jolly
Harrison, who rolled against John Jr., as
anchor man for the Shawsheens.

The youngster won out in the total by five pins.
Competition ran very close in the match
between the Brush Shop and the Washington
mill, each team winning two points. It was
necessary to roll an extra string in which the
Brush Shop came out victorious. Hannon
was high with 122 and 313. P. Belanger hit
108 and 307. Con Hegarty led in the match
between the Wood and Prospect with 124
and 319.

The Wood won by three points, the losers
winning the second string by 20 pins, only
to fall down in the final string. Wilkinson
was high for the losers with 108 and 304.

The Wood Mill team drew a bye and will
roll the winners of the match between the
Brush Shop and the Shawsheen mill. This
match will be rolled at the Cafeteria alleys
next Monday night at 7.30.

The scores:

BRUSH MILL			
N. Bretton	98	83	90
C. Roach	91	98	87
F. Robertson	83	92	109
P. Belanger	104	95	108
P. Ouellette	104	93	97

WASHINGTON MILL			
Paralow	93	96	82
Herron	99	89	77
Kelley	90	88	102
Berthel	93	101	93
Hannon	122	92	99

SHAWSHEEN MILL			
Lowe	81	105	110
Doherty	109	88	127
Anderson	103	95	82
H. Keith	91	84	115
J. Harrison, Jr.	115	88	88

AYER MILL			
Craddock	117	80	112
Ganon	100	95	83
L. Fallon	92	105	94
Dawe	80	91	91
J. Harrison, Sr.	89	89	108

PROSPECT			
Horne	94	102	84
Hoyle	95	79	90
Tedler	90	92	81
Wilkinson	98	98	108
Judge	83	95	89

WOOD			
Wilcox	95	105	99
Hebsch	89	89	104
Hegarty	124	85	100
Eaton	84	88	110
P. Dowd	98	79	85

Arrange Special Match

The Machinist Five will roll the Combing
Department Five in special match at the
Cafeteria alleys, Thursday evening, April 6.
Both teams will present their strongest
lineups and a lively tilt is assured.

Shawsheen Beats Riverina Mills in
Bowling Contest by 210 Pins

The eighteen bowlers who came up from
the Riverina mills of Medford last Friday
night were literally swamped by the Shaw-
sheen bowlers to the tune of 201 pins.

Before the contest started the bowlers and
their friends were the guests of the Shaw-
sheen mills overseers at a very fine supper in
the Shawsheen restaurant. Notwithstanding
the final result, which would seem to indicate
that Shawsheen was in the lead all the way,
it should be mentioned that Riverina led by
four pins after the first round. The visitors,
and in fact all present, enjoyed the evening's
entertainment and sport.

The following are the results:

SHAWSHEEN MILLS			
Howes	83	65	72
Rennie	74	90	85
W. Harrison	82	105	82
W. Spindler	90	103	96
Lowe	102	101	92
J. Harrison	93	109	99
Archibald	78	75	91
Mosher	79	70	84
Kemp	88	96	82
Babb	89	103	93
Anderson	98	90	123
H. Keith	103	100	82
Blades	79	88	82
Phillips	75	86	87
Curtin	97	107	85
Ubert	81	101	99
Kinlock	97	91	78
J. Keith	78	80	92

RIVERINA MILLS			
Simpson	93	98	89
Spellman	97	78	82
Small	80	97	81
Gibbs	81	94	80
Olsen	82	82	77
Hall	89	81	94
Farmer	90	89	79
Whorrel	94	77	77
Gerry	93	72	68
Scott	86	94	73
Hurst	76	83	86
Rich	79	95	79
Stewart	84	83	92
Deverie	89	79	78
Henderson	95	80	95
Newschom	89	97	78
Romanis	83	86	114
Dunn	80	93	80

Shawsheen Village Women's Club Plans
Evening of Music

The next regular meeting of the Shaw-
sheen Village Women's club will be held next
Monday evening, beginning promptly at
7.45 o'clock.

The program for the evening has been
arranged by the music committee and will
consist of selections by the Andover trio;
Mrs. Frank Paige, piano; Mrs. Joseph N.
Ashton, violin; Miss Helen Eaton, cello.
A group of songs will be sung by Miss
Mabel Carter, accompanied by Mrs. John
C. Angus.

Refreshments will be served by the April
hostesses.

NEWS NOTES

A dancing party will be held in Balmoral
hall, Saturday evening, March 31, under the
auspices of the local chapter of the Scandi-
navian Fraternity of America.

The next regular meeting of the Current
Events Class will be held Tuesday afternoon,
April 3, at 2.30 o'clock at the home of Mrs.
Leonard Little, 10 William street.

About twenty-five couples attended a
very pleasant and enjoyable dance at the
Shawsheen Manor last Saturday evening.
A very fine buffet supper was served by the
management.

There will be no dance at the Shawsheen
Restaurant tomorrow evening on account of
Holy week. After this week, however,
dances will be held regularly on Wednesday
and Saturday evenings, as formerly. On
Wednesday evening, April 4, a free dancing
competition will be held from 8 to 9 o'clock,
and a ten-dollar gold piece will be awarded
as a prize.

Community Services

At the Community Service last Sunday
evening in Post-Office hall F. W. H. Stott of
Phillips Academy gave the address.

Next Sunday the Easter Festival services
will be held at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and
will take the place of the regular evening service.
The program for the Easter service will be as
follows:

Hymn
Prayer by Rev. C. W. Henry
Hymn
Two Recitations on Easter
Scripture Reading from St. Luke
Pageant — The Triumph of Love

Hymn
Offering — Solo by Miss Mary Caldwell
Benediction

After the service the children of the Sun-
day School will be presented with plants.
The Easter Pageant is under direction of
Mrs. Hubert Mayo and Miss Isabel Peters.

Shawsheen Girls' Club Dance

A dancing party will be held by the
Shawsheen Girls' Club in Balmoral hall,
Wednesday evening, April 4.

A fine time is assured as the committee in
charge have been working hard to make this
dance a success. The members of the
committee in charge are: Chairman, Presi-
dent Emma Holt; Sally McKay, Helen A.
Lewis, Marie Sirois, Elizabeth Frederickson.

Lost Treasure of Montezuma.

According to legend, Montezuma, at
the time of his overthrow in 1520 by
Cortez and his Spanish followers, had,
in addition to the colossal loot which
the victors secured in gold and silver,
fabulous wealth in gold stored away
beneath his secret palace hidden in the
plateau region of what is now the state
of Nayarit, Mexico.

The loot, which the invaders secured,
was stupendous, to be sure. But they
missed the greatest single cache of
gold in Mexico by disillusioning Monte-
zuma in time for him to recall his mes-
sengers sent out to bring in the gold
from the chief treasure house of his
gods.

Cortez tortured and then murdered
hundreds of the leading Aztecs in an
effort to get from them the secret of
the location of the great treasure place
and palace. Failing to gain his infor-
mation in that way, he spent several
years scouring the western part of
Mexico, but in vain.

Americans at the Telephone.

One way to measure the extent of
the relative use of the telephone in
several countries is to determine the
average amount of time per year actu-
ally spent by each inhabitant in tele-
phone conversations. Statistics indi-
cate that in the United States the aver-
age per capita time consumed in hold-
ing telephone conversations is 16
hours; in the Scandinavian countries,
Denmark, Sweden and Norway, 12
hours; in Germany, five hours; in
Switzerland, three hours; in Great
Britain, two hours; in France, one
hour, and in Italy considerably less
than one hour.

World's Accessible Timber.

The accessible timber of the world
is inadequate to the requirements of
modern civilization, says the forest
service, United States Department of
Agriculture. We now draw one-third
of our paper requirements from Cana-
da. There is an embargo on the ex-
port of pulp wood from the crown
lands of Canada, and this is likely to
be extended to all forest lands in the
Dominion, completely shutting off the
supply of raw material for the paper
industry of the United States. This
illustrates the hazard of becoming de-
pendent upon foreign supplies of tim-
ber. It is pointed out.

Coloring Cotton Goods.

There are many different systems
of producing high-grade colored cot-
ton goods. Each system has its spe-
cial advantage over other systems for
the production of a certain line of
goods. Each class of goods has a cer-
tain line of buyers which creates an
increasing demand for this particular
class. The various systems under
which cotton colored goods are pro-
duced may be covered under the fol-
lowing list: Bleached goods, dyed
goods, painted goods, stained goods,
embossed goods, enameled goods, print-
ed goods.—Dyestuffs.

Naming the Dock.

It was a beautiful little lake. The
man who had purchased an estate on
it said he must have a dock for his
motorboat and asked if there was any
timber in the neighborhood. They told
him there was plenty of hickory.
"Build it of that," he directed, "and
I'll name it Hickory Dock!"
—Louisville Courier-Journal.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Benjamin Babb of Lowell street is
ill at her home.

Edward Gordon of Poor street has re-
covered from an illness.

George Daley of Carlisle street saw the
"Follies" in Boston Friday.

Arthur George of the Shawsheen mills has
purchased a Hupmobile car.

The Boy Scouts met at the club house on
Haverhill street Friday evening.

George Saper, assistant chef at the Cafe-
teria, visited friends in Wellesley recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Boardman of Haverhill
street are the proud parents of a baby boy.

Mrs. Cross of F. H. Hardy's office is
absent from her duties on account of illness.

A. N. Wade and family of Medford have
moved into their new home at 4 Caris-
brooke street.

The next meeting of the Shawsheen Girls'
club will be held with Gertrude McKay on
Dumbarton street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wansker will move
during the coming week into their new home
at 29 Enmore street.

Mrs. William Knapton of Carlisle street
saw "Lightnin'" at the Hollis Street
theatre, Boston, recently.

Mrs. E. M. Lawson and daughter will
move during the coming week into their
new home at 12 Argyle street.

William Shaw, one of the truck chauff-
eurs for Amos Osoonian, was quite badly
burned about his head and eyes on Wednes-
day.

Miss Gladys Yale, who is stopping at the
Shawsheen Manor with her family until their
new home is ready, is spending a few days in
New York.

Clarence Smith of York street, who is
suffering from blood poisoning in his leg, is
much improved although still unable to re-
sume his work.

Leroy Bennett of Haverhill has been
transferred from the Wood mill to the re-
ceiving and shipping department of the
Shawsheen mills.

H. E. Hart, assistant manager of the
Shawsheen Truck Garage, has been appointed
treasurer of the newly formed Merrimack
Valley Motor Truck club of which A. E.
Ennis of Canterbury street is president.

Last Monday evening about twenty local
Masons went to Fitchburg to witness and
assist in conferring the third degree on Ben-
jamin Benedict, local superintendent of the
Jenison company. Before visiting the
lodges, they were the guests of Mr. Jenison
at supper. Thomas Bredbury presided as
Worshipful Master, assisted by J. R. Mosher,
David Campbell and Benjamin Babb.

NATION'S DEBT TO WHITTIER

Poet's Writings Gave Valuable Assist-
ance to a Large Number of Phil-
anthropic Movements.

John Greenleaf Whittier, the Quaker
poet, was born on a farm near Haver-
hill, Mass., in 1807, says the Detroit
News. He remained on the farm until
he was nearly nineteen years old, di-
viding his time between field work
and shoemaking. Whittier never for-
got his connection with the "gentle
craft" in early life, nor was he ever
ashamed to own fellowship with its
humble, but worthy members. What
he thought of the craft itself and the
spirit of the men who have followed
it may be learned from his lines ad-
dressed to shoemakers in the "Songs
of Labor," published in 1850.

Whittier's vigorous, thrilling lines
gave assistance to every philanthropic
movement in the United States. For
nearly years he was the Hans Sachs or
Ebenzer Elliott of the Liberation
cause of Protestantism on the con-
tinent, to the work of emancipation in
America, to that which the German
gave to the cause of Protestantism on
the continent of Europe, and the Eng-
lishman gave to the labors of the anti-
corn law league in Great Britain.

Moorish Women's Dull Lives.

The Moorish woman's life is never
very exciting or varied, and her many
domestic duties lie her to the house.
It is only on very special occasions
that she is permitted to go out; many
never go out at all. The lower-class
women are sometimes forced to at-
tend the markets, and are not so par-
ticular about covering their faces as the
rules of their religion ordain. No strict-
ly religious woman, however, will allow
any man but her husband to see her
face.

Some of the women are accom-
plished musicians and dancers, and
sing to the accompaniment of their
wild native instruments. This is in
most cases their only form of
amusement. Some of them are also
experts at weaving and making tape-
stry.

Moorish women are seen at their
best in the country districts, where
oases seem them going to a well for
water with their earthenware pitchers
gracefully poised on their heads or
shoulders.

Settlers Introduced Honey Bees.

In reality all honey bees are wild,
for they have been but little changed
by man, both in structure and in hab-
its.

It does not seem to be generally
known that there were no honey bees
in America before they were intro-
duced by the early French, English and
Spanish settlers.

The old histories contain, however,
very few dates on the spread of the
bees. The Indians called the swarms,
which escaped and settled in hollow
trees, English flies. They hated them
as precursors of the whites, but they
quickly learned to eat the honey.—
Age.

PRESENT RESOLUTION

Representatives of Mill Employees
Received by President Wm. M. Wood
in New York City

Following the announcement of the wage
increase in the American Woolen Company,
announced March 21 by William M. Wood
to a committee composed of representatives
of every department in the four mills of the
Company, and the Shawsheen Mills at
Shawsheen Village, the representatives held
a meeting in which they passed the following
resolution:

"We have had at all times, still have
and always will have, absolute confidence
in President Wood, and in the present
management of the American Woolen
Company, so much so in fact that we
will not allow any outsider to interfere
with us."

The committee voted to present this res-
olution personally to the President, and three
representatives, Miss Katherine Donovan of
the Washington Mills, John Cook of the
Wood Mills, and Eli Furneaux of the Ayer
Mills were chosen to carry the resolution to
the president of the company, who is at
present in New York City.

They were received by the president and
on presenting the resolution, Mr. Wood re-
plied as follows:

Miss Catherine Donovan, Washington Mills
Mr. Eli Furneaux, Ayer Mills
Mr. Sam John Cook, Wood Mills
Representing the Employees of The Amer-
ican Woolen Company.

Miss Donovan and Gentlemen:
The mark of personal respect and confi-
dence shown not only in the resolution which
you have presented to me, but as well and
especially in your having come this long
distance to present it, is one that I value
highly indeed. I am, of course, touched
deeply by the personal tribute, but what you
have said and what you are doing I value
even more, because of what it means both to
those whom you come here representing and
to the company which we serve.

The highest success of any business and the
highest efficiency result in mutual confidence
and co-operation between the management
and its employees. Mills cannot succeed
without workers who are efficient, workers
cannot be efficient unless they have a feeling
of loyalty founded upon fair dealing and fair
treatment by the management. It has been
my endeavor, as the chief executive of the
American Woolen Company, to deal justly
with those who toil daily in its mills. I have
desired to secure and to deserve their con-
fidence; your coming here with this resolution
makes me believe I have in some measure
succeeded.

It places me most of all that this com-
mittee consists of those who themselves are
employees. I have long desired that such a
relation should be established as to make it
possible for us to deal directly with each
other in matters which concern our business.
I believe that we can settle our mutual
problems better among ourselves than with
the aid of outsiders. We shall reach better
results if we talk things over, face to face,
eye to eye and heart to heart.

It is my hope that the time will never come
when such differences as may arise, if any,
may not be settled directly within our own
organization through its committee of
employees and without recourse to the aid
of outsiders. I am deeply grateful to you,
and each one of you personally, for coming
to see me and bringing this tribute of esteem
and affection, and I want you to carry back
to everyone of our fellow workers my ap-
preciation and thanks. In expressing my
acknowledgment of these sentiments of yours I
cannot accept this tribute wholly for myself.
I wish to state to you here that I am ac-
tuated by my Board of Directors and by my
associates in the administration of the busi-
ness, all of whom are intensely interested in
your welfare in the most humane manner
possible, and they joyfully share with me
these fine expressions of yours.

Wm. M. Wood, President
American Woolen Company.

Plans for Monster Smoker Complete

On Saturday evening, April 7, a monster
"smoker" will be held in Shawsheen restau-
rant. It is being held in the interest of the
Shawsheen A. A. Soccer team and through
the efforts of a very energetic committee this
affair is bound to be a big success.

The very best of talent will be seen. John
E. Cuddy Jr., of Lawrence has been asked to
handle the bouts and he will arrange the
boxing numbers on the program. He will
surely give the spectators a night of action.
The plans also include showing the Kloby-
Britt and the Wilde-Dyson moving pictures.

Communication

Andover, Mass.,
March 29, 1923.
Editor of the Andover Townsman.

Dear Sir:
We cannot consider it an item of news
to state that the condition of Haverhill
street is deplorable. Although it may not
be incumbent on the town to put this road
in proper shape, it is not to be expected that
the officials of the town should bring pressure
to bear on those whose duty it is to take
proper care of this road?
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Abbot Worsted and Shawsheen Soccer Teams to Meet Tomorrow

At 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon the
Shawsheen A. A. Soccer team will meet the
strong Abbot Worsted team to play off the
tie game of last fall in the State Cup Series.
The winner of this game will play the Ameri-
can Woolen team in the second round for the
State Cup.

If the local team can pull off a victory
against Abbot they will stand a very good
chance of lifting the Cup as this is without
a doubt as strong an organization as they
will have to face.

Local fans should not fail to be present, as
a red-hot contest is assured, and a good crowd
will do much to spur the players to fort
their best efforts.

Much praise is due to those who have seen
to the clearing of Balmoral field which makes
it possible to have the game played here. It
is the first field in this section which has been
put in condition for play this season.

Secretary Haggas announces that a full
schedule of league games will be played next
week. Under a new rule, games must start
on time and the one guilty of a late start will
be fined \$5.

Local Team Wins

The Main-Street Five took a fall out of the
strong Loring-Street Five at the Cafeteria
alleys, Thursday evening of last week.
The villagers won everything, but were
pressed hard in the final string winning out
by five pins. Fred McKay was high with
110 and 309 for the village team and Wyatt
for the visitors with 101 and 296.

The scores:

MAIN STREET FIVE			
D. Perrault	95	89	97
W. Bell	90	97	96
E. Topping	91	90	94
A. Bell	89	100	90
F. McKay	93	106	110

LORING STREET FIVE			
W. Ryan	87	82	90
J. Glennie	90	93	100
J. Hayes	85	87	92
T. Taylor	84	90	91
F. Wyatt	96	110	99